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VERY LATEST.

Another American Horse Wins.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH.

LONDON, June 7.—The reports from Fox Hall show that Keene's horse, Cap and Bells II, captured the English Oaks derby at Epson today. Henry rode the horse and the owner of the horse and the jockey are both Americans.

New Bishop of Minnesota Dixon Boy.

Yesterday Right Reverand Samuel Edsall, D. D., at present missionary bishop of North Dakota, was elected bishop coadjutor of the Minnesota diocese of the Episcopal church. Dr. W. S. Rainsford, rector of St. George's church of New York City, was his strongest opponent. Seventeen candidates were formally ballotted for, Dr. Edsall receiving 36 votes from the clergy and 50 from the lay delegates. It is not yet known whether he will accept the office.

Dr. Edsall was born at Dixon, March 4, 1860, his father being James K. Edsall, Attorney General of the State from 1873 to 1881, and who died in Chicago in 1892. Dr. Edsall studied law in his father's office in that city, and was admitted to the bar in 1882, and entered the firm with his father. He was active as a layman in the Episcopal church, and before long was urged by many friends to drop law and become a clergyman. The pressure became so strong Mr. Edsall yielded, and after a consultation with Bishop McLaren became a candidate for holy orders in 1886.

In May of the following year he went into the Lake View district as a lay missionary, and started a work which since has developed into St. Peter's parish. Mr. Edsall began reading sermons with his friend, Frederic W. Keator, then a young lawyer, and now also a clergyman in the parlor of a cottage at Briar place. Perhaps twenty-five persons were present at the first service. In four Sundays the cottage parlor had been outgrown, and a store on North Clark street was rented. In July, 1888, the congregation erected a small frame chapel, and here, in December of that year, Bishop McLaren ordained Mr. Edsall as deacon. In the same place, in June, 1889, Bishop McLaren again came to the chapel and ordained Mr. Edsall to the priesthood. Within a year the mission was organized as a parish, with Mr. Edsall as rector, and now there is a handsome stone church on Belmont avenue, near Evanston avenue, with parish house adjoining.

Dr. Edsall was elected Missionary Bishop of North Dakota in 1896, just after he had come within one vote of being elected Bishop of Iowa. He was married in April 1983, to Miss Grace Harmon of Aurora, Illinois, and they have three children—James K., Mary Louise, and Samuel H. Dr. Edsall now lives at Fargo, North Dakota.

Dr. Edsall is one of the youngest Bishops in the Episcopal church.

More School Room Necessary.

At a meeting of the directors of the Dixon schools last evenining the necessity for more room was given considerable attention. The board was in hopes that another year might pass before it became necessary to build another school house, but the schools are now crowded. One more room would give relief, but there are no vacant ones in any of the buildings and the members of the board have been unable to find a suitable room anywhere else.

It may be found necessary to erect the new building contemplated on West Third street this summer and if so a two story four room building will be put up and the two lower rooms finished. The upper rooms need not be finished until it is necessary to use them. The board has the question under advisement.

Death of a Brother of Mrs. Hanlon.

Mrs. S. Hanlon of our city, mother of Col. F. R. Hanlon, through a late copy of the Kildare Observer, received news of the death of her brother, Frederick W. Hoysted, which occurred as the result of injuries received by a fall at the home of one of his daughters in Victoria, Australia. Deceased was 83 years of age, and Mrs. Hanlon had not seen him for over 40 years. He was born in County Kildare, Ireland. In his younger days he was a prominent man in racing and hunting circles, and in the sixties and seventies was a successful trainer of some of the best race horses in the antipodes. The date of his death is not given.

Cow Killed.

In the storm of Wednesday a cow was killed by lightning at the John Blackman farm in Marion township.

Mrs. Augustus Schweinberg Injured.

This afternoon as we go to press we learn that Mrs. Augustus Schweinberg was severely injured by her husband's horse dragging her quite a distance in its attempt to run away.

She was driving in company with Mrs. John Gaffney out on the Chicago road when he horse became frightened at a pile of dirt. She alighted from the buggy to lead the horse past the object which frightened it when the animal started dragging her some distance, cutting her face badly and it is feared causing internal injuries as the horse may have stepped upon or struck her with his feet.

Mrs Gaffney stopped the horse and prevented him from running further. Mrs. Schweinberg was carried into Mrs. C. F. Hark's residence and properly cared for until a doctor who had been sent for arrived from Dixon.

Conibear Will Be Trainer at Illinois.

H. B. Conibear, son-in-law of T. J. Miller of this city, and who has been trainer under Director Stagg in the athletic department at the University of Chicago, has been engaged to be trainer at the state University at Champaign. He will take the place of Dr. Schell. His work at Chicago has been very successful and his change to Illinois is considered a considerable advance. At Champaign Conibear will have more authority and responsibility than he has had at Chicago. In Stagg's system the coach himself assumes most of the responsibility taken by trainers elsewhere, especially in the East. At Illinois Conibear will have a position similar to that of "Mike" Murphy at Yale.

Conibear was formerly a bicycle racer, being a member of the Morgan & Wright racing team. Later he was a trainer for that team. He began work at the University of Chicago in the fall of 1897.

North Dixon Wants Sewerage.

Petitions were in circulation today and receiving signatures of many property owners asking the city council to authorize the construction of sewers on North Dixon avenue to the river; on North Dement avenue beginning north of Morgan and extending to the river and on North Crawford beginning north of Bradshaw, thence south to East Chamberlain, west to North Ottawa and south on North Ottawa to the river. This will relieve the trouble being experienced from surface drainage and as the streets in these localities are in poor condition at present there is no better time than now to make the improvement. The sewers can be put in on the ten payment plan and will be a permanent improvement never regretted.

Photograph Gallery Sold.

John F. Haynes has sold his photograph business to L. W. Dachsteiner and Mr. Duffield, who have already taken possession. Mr. Haynes acquired a fine patronage by excellent work—far above the average in a city of this size—and he goes to Cedar Rapids, Ia., to a larger field, and while regretting to lose him we wish him success

J. G. Duffield, who is with Mr. Dachsteiner, is a photographer of 22 years' experience and these gentlemen will keep up the reputation of the establishment and add many new styles of work. Mr. Duffield comes from Galveston, Texas. The deal was consummated through the agency of J. M. McCleary.

Death of James Roark.

James Roark, living one mile north of Harmon, died yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John McKeel. He was an old settler and highly respected by all who knew him. His age was seventy-three years. The funeral will be held tomorrow (Saturday) at 10 a. m. at St. Flannen's Catholic church at Harmon. Services will be conducted by Rev. Father McGrath. The burial will be at Sterling.

Will Go To Boston.

A purse has been made up among a number of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association to partly defray the expenses of Secretary F. M. Smith's trip to the Fiftieth Jubilee Convention of the Y. M. C. A., which meets in Boston, June 11 to 16. Mr. Smith leaves on Monday and will be gone ten days. This convention will be one of the greatest religious gatherings ever held in America.

A Pleasant Party.

The Knights and Ladies of Security entertained very pleasantly last evening at their hall in Miller building. The affair was a success in every particular. The Dixon Mandolin Club furnished music.

For Saturday.

Fancy Pineapples - - 10c each

Home-grown Peas and every variety of green vegetables.

A carload of Fancy Eating Old Potatoes. They are excellent eating and will be higher.

Fancy Strawberries received in large quanties direct from growers We have the assortment and can save you money on everything.

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To let that coal range heat you when you're already "stewing" is not only foolish but decidedly dangerous.

The Jewel Gasoline Stove solves the problem.

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A Ton of BUTTER

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The Choicest of it Goes at 14c.

We are receiving Fresh Berries daily from the south and offer the best stock in the market at lowest prices.

Fancy Large Pineapples 15c and 20c.

Ask for Ferndale Pure Food Groceries.

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WE PAY our representatives from $12 to $18 per week to handle agents. Write us. A good opportunity. Cicero Co., office 15 and 16 Stewart block, Rockford, Ill. 167t12

GIRL for dining room. Hotel Bishop. 164tf

LADIES to hairdress, manicure scalp treatment and facial massage at the Ideal Beauty Parlors, 206 West First street, Dixon, Ill. 160t24* CORA E. RICHARDSON.

TO RENT—A modern house about 7 rooms with furnace and bath. Apply to GLENN E. PLUMB, 23 First St., Rock River Railway Co. 154tf

OLD iron, copper, brass and lead, old rubber shoes or boots, bottles, old stoves and all kinds of junk. Telephone 432 Central Highest prices given. Mail orders answered P. BLOOM, 212 Crawford avenue. 146tf

IRON, copper, lead, zinc, rags, rubber, and bottles. Highest cash prices paid. Will call for same. Drop a postal to SAM RUBENSTEIN, 107 First St. Central Telephone 280.

FOR RENT.

NINE room house at 601 First street, corner of Monroe Ave. Also four rooms up stairs, closet and pantry in house next to arch. 176t6* MRS. CARISTINE ENGEL. Hetler's Place.

COTTAGE of 8 rooms, good well, cistern shade trees, 609 Crawford avenue. 175t8* J. C. SMITH.

ONE-half of double house (6 rooms) on Fifth street only 3 blocks from court house $8 per month. 165t3 G. C. LOVELAND

A FOUR room house, also stable. 174tf VICTOR SCHATZMAN.

HOUSE of 6 rooms, corner of Peoria and Sixth street. MARGARET BROOKS. 173tf

FURNISHED rooms for rent. Gentlemen only. Enquire of Mrs R. Fish, 416 Ottawa avenue; a block and a half south of Court House. 170t8*

ROOMS—7 in all—in second story at No. 8 East River street. Apply to E. E. Shaw this office. 161tf*

STORE. The store room and basement, 96 Galena avenue, occupied by the Neville & Prindaville Co., as hardware store and tin shop, is now for rent. Inquire of C. G. REISS 2nd floor on premises or the F. E. STITELEY Co. 133tf

FOR SALE

TEAM of three year old drivers. Two family mares. One three year old spotted pony, good sized and broke. Mare, 6 year old, a toppy driver GEORGE HARMS 178t22&5613*

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See us at once before prices go up and thus get the advantage of increase in values. Both 'phones. 177t3 F. E. STITELEY.

NEAT, nearly new cottage, South Hennepin avenue, $1200. Corner lot adjoining at low figure. 177t3 F. E. STITELEY.

A SEVEN room house two blocks south of Court House on Galena avenue. Lot 55x150 feet. Well, cistern and barn. Enquire at 414 Galena avenue. 176t3

HORSE, Ebernight, record 2:18—black pacer, good for surrey use; will be sold at Manges' combination sale Thursday. 176t2&swit* GEO. ANDERSON

A GOOD barn, must be moved away. 158tf E. L. KLING.

LOTS—I have a number of lots on the North and West Side for sale. Prices ranging from $175 to $500 each. Enquire of THOMAS YOUNG, Nachusa House. 62t f

ESTRAY

MULE—bay with front foot clubbed. Has been at my place, one half mile east of Dixon, four days. 179t2&wlt WILL STANLEY.

LOST

POCKETBOOK make of green leather, lost between opera house and North Dixon avenue and Fellows street Monday night. Finder please leave at this office. 178t3

FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR sale or rent a cottage of five rooms in West End nearly new and in excellent repair. Enquire at 606 Nachusa avenue. 169tf

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Hints and Happenstances in Surrounding Towns and Villages.

FRANKLIN GROVE.

June 6.—Mrs. J. Wertman and son Albert of Valisca, Iowa, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hausen.

Mrs. Hayes of Iowa is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Welsh.

Clarence Pense was out from Chicago a few days this week.

Mrs. Will Underwood of Nachusa visited at the home of C Buck Saturday.

The commencement exercises of the Franklin Grove schools will be held Friday evening, June 7th. Misses Minnetta Roe and Jennie Mae Sunday and Frederick Gross are the graduates. Music will be furnished—a quartette, mandolin solo by Blair Crawford, piano solos by Misses Alice Hausen and Olive Roe, piano march by Miss Flora Wicker.

RIVER SIDE

June 6:—Stella Bachman has gone to Clinton to spend a week with her sister Myra.

Clarence Floto visited in Polo last Sunday.

Will Hintz and Miss Weyburn of Dixon attended church at the Kingdom last Sunday evening.

W. H. Scott was a caller in this vicinity last Sunday.

Chas Floto lost by death a valuable horse last week.

Beulah Senneff who is sick with scarlet fever is improving.

THE BEND NO. 1

June 7:—The much needed rain came at last.

Many have shelled corn in this vicinity.

Joe D. Cortright of Eldena visited at John Hetter's Saturday.

Vet Brierton has a fine new buggy.

Many are replanting corn in this vicinity.

A. Brierton had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow.

C. C. Jacobs, W. Andrus and E. C. Parsons called at Rosedale Saturday on business.

Artie Davis of Wisconsin is canvassing there this neighborhood for the orange farmer.

Miss Carpenter and several pupils of the Dixon school are enjoying an outing at White Rock.

Will Burg and family spent Decoration day in Sterling with relatives.

The landlord of the Sheffield House at Grand Detour has an original package to be delivered by him to a party at Rosedall when the bridge is complete—"When will it be?"

Mr. and Mrs. Missman and Mrs. Sylvester Brierton spent Tuesday with Mrs. A. Brierton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noble, Mr. H. Noble and Miss Flossie Noble, Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Boynton and sons were visitors at the Rosbrook home Sunday.

KINGDOM.

June 7.—Fred Floto and Fred Miller, wife and two children from West Grove visited relatives in this vicinity Sunday and Monday.

Sickness is quite prevalent in the Senneff home the last two weeks. Little Bulah was recovering from scarlet fever and now there are two cases of dyptheria, Mrs. Senneff being one and Miss Senneff from Dixon, Mr Senneff's sister, who had been helping to care for the little girl. We hope they will soon recover under the care of Dr. A. C Miller.

Chas. Floto lost quite a valuable horse last week.

Humphrey Scott spent Sunday in the Kingdom.

Miss Bess McGarry of Oregon is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Unanget

Clarence Floto and Ray Shaver drove to Polo last Saturday and visited with friends Sunday.

The basket social held last week at William Floto's home was a grand success. $25 was cleared for benefit of minister.

During the storm yesterday lightning struck the barn on the Mrs. Masylvia Gull farm, which is farmed by her son-in-law, John Gronewald, near Teall's Corners, and burned it with contents, Mrs. Gronewald succeeded in getting out three horses. There was grain and hay and farm implements in the barn.

Misses Ethel Albertson and Stella Bachman visited Saturday and Sunday in Grand Detour with their former teacher, Mrs. H C. Earll.

Our school, which has been under efficient management of Miss Gertrude Grove of Dixon for the past two years, closed last Wednesday with appropriate exercises by the pupils.

The basket sociable at Will Floto's last week was well attended and the sum of twenty five dollars was realized.

Miss Stella Bachman went to Clinton Iowa, Monday to visit relatives and her sister who is attending school there.

Misses Jessie and Belle Floto attended the Hillside school picnic last Saturday at Steamboat rock.

LEE CENTER.

June 6:—Charles and Frank Planck left for Iowa Tuesday night on a business trip.

B. A. Dewey and wife of Dixon spent Sunday at the home of E. L. Leavens.

Rev. J. Monroe Markley took his old friends by surprise last Tuesday night at Woodmen hall where they were having their annual strawberry and ice cream festival. It was a great treat to see Rev. Markley again and see him looking so well.

Born, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoffman, near Temperance hill, Monday morning, a ten pound daughter.

Wm Lawrence returned Tuesday night from his trip to N. Y., and is very much pleased with the East.

Mrs. Wm. Packard and son Ralph and niece Irma Gross of Dixon visited with Mrs. Theresa Bahens Tuesday and Wednesday.

The banks of old Inlet were lined with people last Sunday who spent the day in fishing.

ASHTON.

June 6.—Anthony Myers was in Franklin Grove Wednesday on business.

Our town council purchased four large gas lamps from a Chicago company for street purposes and Marshal Hartzel with a force of men are putting up poles for the purpose of hanging same. They will be hung on Main street. These four lamps will light up Main street in fine shape and also part of the other streets north and south.

Many improvements are now talked of by the board and it looks as if some of the property owners will soon have fine hard cement sidewalks in front of their places of business.

Mr. Leroy Thompson, formerly an artist at this place, writes friends that he will be home from Arkedelphia, Ark., where he has a large studio, in the early part of July.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Chadwick spent the first of the week in the southern part of the county,

A goodly number of our people will attend the Lee County Sunday school convention at Pawpaw.

Mr. Edward Arnold purchased of Mrs. O. P. Canfield a lot and will build fine residence before the summer is over. Mr. Arnold is one of our prosperous contractors and has a lot of work on hand and a large force of men busy all the time.

Miss Ida Wellaman, who has been in our midst for the last two years, has returned to her home in Ohio. She will be missed by her many friends and all trust she will return to her Ashton friends.

Misss May and Atta Batchelor left Thursday morning for Indiana, where they will visit their brother.

Work is now commenced on the sixth new dwelling for Ashton this spring and they are all very valuable improvements; some costing from $3,000 to $4,000.

Next week we will show how our town could get a good manufacturing industry at a small cost that will employ about eighty men.

What Ashton needs is a good local business men's association. There are over seventy five business men in the town and most of them are as good as you find in any town west of Chicago. Let us have such an association and our march of improvement will go steadily forward.

Joseph Sanders is home from Texas and as an evidence of his oil land being underlaid with oil he is now negotiating for the purchase of a tract of land adjoining his which has like indication for oil.

The north part of town now has a tennis court.

Children's Day will be appropriately observed in all our churches Sunday.

HAMLITON.

June 6.—The Mendota real estate man was in Hamilton today.

Miss Ellen Phillips returned from Normal, Illinois, last Saturday, where she has attended school the past winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Laundenburg left last Sunday morning for Bradford, Stark county, Illinois.

E. J. Lund captured two young wolves last week. The nest was found in an old woodpile on S. O. Stone's farm.

Mrs. Henry Johnson had a runaway yesterday. The horse started while she shut the gate. The buggy and harness was broken, but no one was hurt.

TEMPERANCE HILL.

June 7.—Mrs. Frank Royster is on the sick list.

William Ousey of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilbur Leake.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Hoffman, Monday, June 3rd, a daughter.

Herbert Bahen and Ernest Buckman are owners of new buggies.

Several of the young people on the Hill attended the social at Lee Center, Tuesday night.

Palmyra Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Palmyra schools will be held at Sugar Grove church on Tuesday evening, June 11, 1901, at 8 o'clock. Following is the program:

March.....Orchestra
Invocation.....Rev. T. F. Dornblaser
Music.....Orchestra
Essay—The Dawn of the Twentieth Century.....Josephine Martin
Music.....Orchestra
Recitation—The Voice of the Flag.....Clarence Mason
Music.....Orchestra
Valedictory.....Esther Williams
Presentation of diplomas and address.....Supt. I. F. Edwards
Music.....Orchestra
Benediction.....Rev. Dornblaser

The Platonic Love Letters of Charles Dickens.

For more than fifty years an Englishwoman (who is still living) has cherished a little sheaf of letters written by Charles Dickens. These charming letters show the novelist in a new part—that of the successful matchmaker. They tell the story of another man's courtship and show how the writer spurred a faint heart into winning a fair lady. They will be printed—for the first time—in the Saturday Evening Post for June 15.

—John and Thomas Lyons, two well-known young men of Amboy, have purchased a saloon of A. J. Carlson at Oregon. This is the best saloon property in Oregon.

The Workingman's Friend Store!

Attention Bargain Hunters!

A large stock of the following bargain.

Men's wool suits for $3.75 a suit; men's linen crash suits $1.75 a suit; men's overalls 25 and 35 cents a pair; men's plain and fancy striped balbriggan shirts and drawers pink or blue, all sizes 79 cents each; men's silk bosom shirts all sizes 14 to 17, 39 cents each; men's Rockford socks 3 cents a pair, heavey 5 cents a pair; linen collars 5 cents 6 for 25 and many other bargains to numerous to mention.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY

EAST BOUND.	WEST BOUND.
No. 8....3:28 am.....+	No. 13....10:17 am.....+
No. 6....4:50 am.....+	No. 5....12:22 pm.....+
No. 16...5:58 am.....+	No. 7....3:45 pm.....+
No. 2....7:08 am.....+	No. 17....7:02 pm.....+
No. 10....7:22 am.....+	No. 11....7:50 pm.....+
No. 12...10:14 am.....+	No. 1....8:53 pm.....+
No. 14...3:50 pm.....+	No. 25....9:57 pm.....+
No. 4....6:02 pm.....+	No. 3....2:37 am.....+
No. 18 Sunday only 5:15 pm	

Freight train No. 134 at 9:10 a. m. Carry passengers between Sterling and Rochelle. *

Freight train No. 118 at 8:20 p. m. Carry passengers between Clinton and DeKalb. *

Freight train No. 131 West Bound at 915 a. m. will carry passengers between Franklin Grove and Clinton on Sunday only.

+ Daily.
* Daily except Sunday.

F. L. MURRAY, Agent.

Arrangements have been made with the Davenport, Rock Island & Northwestern R'y, whereby Standard First Class Coaches are now run daily between Chicago and Davenport and Rock Island, leaving Chicago at 10:00 a. m., arriving Davenport 2:30 p. m. Rock Island 2:45 p. m., and returning, leaving Rock Island at 3:25 p. m., Davenport 3:45 p. m., arriving Chicago 8:30 p. m.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.

SOUTH BOUND.	NORTH BOUND.
Local Mail 8:35 a. m.	Thr'gh Ex 10:18 a. m.
So Express 10:52 a. m.	Local Mail..5:40 p. m.
Decatur Ps..4:52 p. m.	Local Pass..9:46 p. m.
Am Freight, 10:18 a. m.	Lo Freight...2:10 p. m.

L. BACKUS, Agent

WEATHER REPORT.

For the week commencing June 2, 1901.

	Max.	Min.	Preop.
Sunday	79	45	.—
Monday	83	54	.01
Tuesday	89	58	—
Wednesday	84	63	.76
Thursday	72	57	44
Friday	—	45	.—
Saturday.	—	—	.—

THE WEATHER.

The following is the weather forecast telegraphed us at 10:10 o'clock a. m. today from the government observatory at Chicago.

Fair tonight and Saturday. Slight chuange in temperature.

D. W. McKENNEY'S
Livery Stable.

FOR SALE!
Horses and Vehicles for sale and livery barn for rent. This is necessary on account of sickness.

The Dixon Mercantile Co.
Originators of Reasonable Prices.
New Big Store Corner First St. and Peoria Av.

Some Merchants are like dogs; when you tread on their tails they squeal! Abuse of a competitor never helped the abuser. The public appreciate the very best of goods at the very lowest prices, and our constantly growing business proves conclusively that we sell ONLY THE BEST at THE VERY LOWEST PRICES.

P. S. We buy no second-hand or job lots, or rejected merchandise.

Dry Goods Department.

High grade merchandise at specially low prices for SATURDAY.

Ladies' 25c sun bonnets plain and fancy at 19c each; California Cream of Lemon, nature's toilet soap 12½c tube; $4.50 and $5.00 Brussels and fine bobbinet curtains per pair $3.88; 25c black Satin fold belting 19c belt; 40c black Satin fold belting 29c belt; 54 inch $1.25 value silk finish colored venetians will not shrink nor spot special price Saturday 89c per yard; Ladies' $10 and $12 tailor made suits $7.95; 2 yards wide Linoleum extra quality, special price 89c per yard; 50c value silk ginghams for Saturday 35c per yard. Another full line of Ladies' Shirt Waists just received at price 49c up.

Fifty cent bottle Dr Kilmer's Swamp Root our price 38c bottle; The Mother's Friend $1.00 our price 79c; Coke's Dandruff Cure 75c bottle our price 59c; Chas. H. Fletcher's Castoria 35c bottle our price 29c a bottle; Carter's Little Liver Pills 25c bottle our price 19c a bottle; 10c box one night corn cure our price 8c box.

Our Drop Head Sewing Machine $18.50 is made by the New Home Machine Company.

Grocery Department.

3 lb can peeled peaches	10 cents	Bottle Catsup	5 cents
4 cans of corn for	25 cents	Quarter bottle blueing	6 cents
Pea Nuts, quart	5 cents	Arm & Hamner Soda	6 cents
Ginger Snaps	5 cents	3lb solid pack. blackberries	10 cents
Glass of Jelly	4 cents		

Meat Department.

Pork Steak	10 cents	2 lb. balona	15 cents
Boiled meat	5½ cents	Corn beef	5½ cents
Pork roast	9 cents	Leg mutton	13½ cents
Beef roast	8½ cents	6 lb. Spare Ribs	25 cents
3 lb. tripe pickeled	10 cents		

Crockery Department.

Pint tin cup 4 for	5 cents	Carpenters' 2 ft. rule	6 cents
Tea strainers 3 for	5 cents	1 gal. oil can	12 cents
Water dipper	4 cents	No. 7 tea kettle	21 cents
Pot cover	3 cents	Now is the time to buy your Refrigerators	$5.39 to $16.50
Coffee mill	19 cents		

The Dixon Mercantile Company.

STANDS BY THE TARIFF

Tayler of Ohio Says It Is Righteous and Just as Enacted in the Dingley Law.

SUPERIOR MEN NEED SUPERIOR PAY

Is Opposed to Trusts and Doesn't Believe Protection Helps Them Materially—Gunton's Views.

Washington, June 7.—The industrial commission, at its session yesterday, considered the tariff question, with incidental reference to trusts, the witnesses being Representative Robert W. Tayler, of Ohio, and Dr. George Gunton, president of the New York Institute of Social Economics. Tayler took the position that any discussion in congress of the tariff at this time would have a damaging effect upon the country. He said the Dingley law was the most equitable tariff law the United States has ever had. He took a decided position against trusts, and said that they are not fostered by the protective tariff, though some might be incidentally benefited; the sun might cause weeds to grow. Tayler also said that he believed in the principle of reciprocity, but that he did not indorse any of the recently negotiated reciprocity treaties.

Lays Down a Gene al Principle.

Tayler declared the general principle that the history of the country for the past few years and the present conditions demand that there should not be the slightest relaxing of the tariff principle as now embodied in the Dingley law. The relation of the tariff to trusts, he said, is only incidental. The Dingley law embodies the idea that United States civilization is on a higher plane than any other, and requires a higher reward for its labor to maintain that excellence. Whenever the labor cost is greater than elsewhere it is necessary that there should be an equalizing influence, such as the Dingley law. Primarily, therefore, the protective tariff law was in the interest of labor. Even the farmer, he said, gets a reciprocal benefit.

The Farmer and the Steel Tariff.

"How is the farmer benefited by the tariff on steel?" asked Colonel Livingston.

"In the first place,' replied the witness, "there is not much tariff on iron and steel except possibly on tinplate. We pay out in wages not less than $20,000,000 more annually than any other country. That means that the consuming power of the American people at home is increased to that extent, and I think that the effect of that increased consumption is sufficient to recoup the farmer for any supposed increase of the cost to him of iron and steel articles which he may purchase."

Has No Remedy for Trusts.

Tayler said that distrustful as he was of trusts, he had no remedy to suggest. He did not accept the theory that the trusts alone could be trusted to reduce the cost of commodities. Instancing the United States Steel company, he said that its securities amount to $1,500,000,000, while the cost had not been one-third that amount. He had no doubt that the holders of those securities would demand returns upon them.

Opinions of Dr. Gunton.

Dr. Gunton devoted himself especially to replying to an argument recently made before the commission by Edward Atkinson for freer trade. Referring to Atkinson, he said Atkinson's views were all born of theory, and that when the opinion got abroad that theories akin to Atkinson's were about to be enacted into law there came near being general bankruptcy. Speaking of the strike of the machinists, he said it was perfectly right, as he believed that labor was justified in organizing a combine for the protection of its interests. He said, however, that the machinists were blameworthy in that they had agreed to arbitrate and then had failed to live up to their agreement.

MURDERED BY SOLDIERS

Tells the Story of the Death of Assistant Paymaster Arthur.

Cleveland, June 7.—Major George Arthur, assistant paymaster of the United States army, who recently returned from the Philippines, died suddenly at the Weddell House in this city early yesterday. He had just arrived at the hotel and sat down in a chair in the lobby when he was attacked, and was dead in a few minutes. He was a son of P. M. Arthur, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

An autopsy developed the fact that death had resulted from a ruptured blood vessel on the left side of the head. A large blood clot had formed just behind the ear. It is believed that Major Arthur, while defending the government treasure box in a fight with drunken soldiers last fall in the Philippines, received a blow on the head that ruptured the blood vessel and eventually led to his death. He was so badly beaten in that fight that he was sent home to recover.

State Arbitration Offered.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—Walter A. Mathias, of Clinton, member of the state board of arbitration, was here yesterday to tender the services of the board for the adjustment of the strike of the boilermakers. He conferred with President C. C. Brown, of the Springfield Boiler company, and with President Scnelben, of the Boilermakers' Brotherhood. One or both sides will petition for arbitration, it is thought, if the strike does not soon end.

Carnegie to Help Cooper Union.

New York, June 7.—That Andrew Carnegie has become a member of Cooper Union and that he is to do something for the great philanthropy was the news at the forty-second annual commencement of the institute. Cooper's idea was free education, and Carnegie will help carry out the idea, which has not yet been realized.

Blaze in a Fort Wayne Hotel.

Fort Wayne, Ind., June 7.—Fire of unknown origin last night damaged the Wayne hotel, the leading hostelry of the city, to the extent of $20,000.

TRIAL OF LULU KENNEDY

What the Opposing Legal Ability Declares Its Purpose to Prove.

Kansas City, June 7.—Lulu Prince Kennedy listened yesterday to half a dozen witnesses recite the details of her killing of her husband, Philip H. Kennedy, hardly moving a muscle or showing a particle of emotion. In stating its side of the case Attorney Nearing, for the defense, said that they would show that Kennedy had ruined Lulu Prince, that he refused to live with her, and then insane from worry and remorse she committed the act of murder. He denied that she had improper relations with Case Patten, the base ball player. Prosecutor Hadley, answering, declared the state would show that Kennedy was not responsible for the woman's ruin, that Mrs. Kennedy had sustained improper relations with other men long before she met Kennedy and almost up to the time of their forced marriage.

The state's first witnesses were its most important for the day. Frederick Bullene, reporter, and Captain Wade Munford, assistant editor, of The Star, told of Mrs. Kennedy and her brother Will Prince coming to the office of that paper and requesting the publication of a certain story regarding her marriage to Kennedy. Both admitted that the marriage had been forced upon the dead man.

SIGNS OF AN INCENDIARY

Coal Oil Had Been Sprinkled Around Very Liberally.

South Bend, Ind., June 7.—Last Monday night, during the temporary absence of Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell Cleveland from their home, in East Fourth street, Mishawaka, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber, who were passing, saw a flash of flame in the house, and they quickly forced the door and applied a garden hose, putting out the fire before much damage accrued. There was a strong odor of coal oil, and investigation showed that oil had been applied to the carpets, lace curtains and furnishings generally, while two quart jars, filled with oil, were placed near where the match was applied.

A horse and buggy were found nearby, and was identified as having been leased from a liveryman by Frank W de Marcelloni. Traces of coal oil were found on the cushions and buggy robes, and he was placed under arrest as the incendiary. Marcelloni was a fellow workman at the Mishawaka rubber works with Cleveland, and a quarrel between the men is reported. He denies all complicity in the affair.

Nine Hurt, Three Very Badly.

Vicksburg, Miss., June 7.—Nine persons were injured, three seriously, in a head-end collision between two Mississippi Valley passenger trains at 8 a. m. yesterday, north of Vicksburg. Those seriously hurt are Carey Jones, engineer of train, may die; E. S. Laretta, flagman, may die; W. J. Harvey, mail clerk, seriously injured. Of the passengers Miss Mary Doughty, of Nacogdoches, Tex., was the most seriously injured, her arm and hand being badly crushed.

One of Our Modern Tragedies.

Austin, Tex., June 7.—Mrs. Rose Herne committed suicide here Wednesday night. She had secured a divorce a week ago and was to have been married a second time that night. Instead of putting in an appearance the prospective bridegroom left town. Upon hearing this Mrs. Herne drew a pistol and blew out her brains in the presence of her former husband, who had just driven up to her home with their son, whom he had taken out driving.

The "Infuriated" Citizen Again.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 7.—Two hundred infuriated farmers are scouring the timber twenty miles northeast of this city in an effort to capture an unknown negro who yesterday waylaid the 14-year-old daughter of George Dixon, a farmer, bound and gagged her and carried her off to the woods. The child was recovered alive.

Friend of Lincoln and Grant.

St. Joseph, Mo., June 7.—Captain H. S. Townsend died Wednesday night, at the age of 88, in East Maryville, Mo. He was an intimate friend of Lincoln and Grant, a soldier, politician, statesman, and a man who accumulated considerable wealth in the business world. Captain Townsend's remains were shipped to his home in Warren, Ills.

President Alone Is Hopeful.

Washington, June 7.—The president continues hopeful of the outcome in his wife's case. More than this cannot be said. There was no setback during yesterday, but likewise no gain. One favorable circumstance is that Mrs. McKinley continues to gain more sleep than she was able to get in the earlier stages of her illness.

He Might Buy the Country, Too.

London, June 7.—"There is considerable alarm in Switzerland," says the Geneva correspondent of The Daily Express, "over a report that J. Pierpont Morgan contemplates the formation of a watch combine to kill off the importation of Swis watches and materials."

Bad Work With Lincoln's Remains.

Chicago, June 7.—The Inter Ocean prints a story saying that the recent re-interment of the remains of Abraham Lincoln at Springfield, Ills., has been done in such a manner as to leave them, in a measure, at the mercy of body- snatchers.

Beveridge Hobnobs with "Wayups."

St. Petersburg, June 7.—Senator Beveridge has had long interviews with M. De Witte, minister of finance; Count Lamsdorff, minister of foreign affairs; M. Pobedonostseff, procurator general of the holy synod, and Prince Khilkoff, minister of railways.

Shake Up of Game Wardens.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—Governor Yates will reorganize the state game and fish wardens' departments. All deputy wardens in the state are being asked for their resignations.

Killed by Lightning Shock.

Portsmouth, O., June 7.—Robert Lawson, of South Portsmouth, sought shelter in a barn during the rain. Lightning struck forty yards away, and the shock killed him.

United States Minister to the Pope.

Vienna, June 7.—Die Information says: "The pope is willing to meet the desire of the United States to accredit a representative of the holy see."

TEST OF LOCOMOTIVES

Made on a British Railway Said to Prove Superiority of the British Make.

OUR ENGINES DID THE WORK WELL,

But at Greater Cost of Coal, Oil and Repairs — Good Word for Our Makers.

London, June 7.—The Midland Railway company, since the latter half of 1899, has been using forty United States locomotives. Samuel W. Johnson, superintendent of the locomotive department of the company, says in The Daily Mail this morning that the result of six months' comparative tests made with standard Midland road engines under the same conditions showed the extra working cost of the United States locomotive over the British to be from 20 to 25 per cent. in fuel, 50 per cent. in oil and 60 per cent. in repairs. "It must be said that the American engines worked the trains satisfactorily," Johnson says, "but their inferiority in the three points named is incontestible." The United States locomotives in question cost £400 less than the British. They were delivered in the course of a few months, while the locomotives ordered of British firms in February, 1897, were not delivered until February, 1900, largely on account of the strike.

Done on Different Principles.

Sir Ernest Paget, chairman of the Midland Railway company, confirms Johnson's statement in The Daily Mail, but says: "In the United States they make their engines on an entirely different principle and with quite an opposite idea to ours as to their future. In the United States you take an engine off a peg, as it were, and from then work it right out till it dies, giving it no rest. The American contention is that by the time it is done for something better will come along.

We Can Equal the Best.

"We make our engines as good as we possibly can, and then we tend them carefully—rest them, clean them, and do everything to make them last. Although the Midland Railway company would not give another order, unless in exceptional circumstances, it would not be correct to say that the American locomotives are not good. The Americans can make them as well as we can, but the conditions are different. Ours are better under all circumstances. There is no market on the English railways for American engines. Abroad it is different."

HICKMAN RETURNS TO HIS ROAST.

Will Not Have It that Everything Good Comes from the United States.

London, June 7.—Sir Alfred Hickman, ex-president of the British Iron Trade association, has written another letter to Lord George Hamilton, the Indian secretary, concerning American locomotives, citing the reply of Lord Cromer, the British agent in Egypt, relative to the consumption of coal by British and foreign engines in Egypt. Lord Cromer said a definite report could not be given for two months, but Major Johnstone thinks the Americans average 10 per cent. more coal than the other types.

Sir Alfred comments as follows: "This so far confirms the reports from Burmah and Assam, and, if correct, would make American engines dear at a gift.

"With reference to your claim that Americans are superior in chemical research, I venture to point out that the achievements in metallurgy of Cort, Hall, Neilsen, Bessemer, Siemens, Martin, Gilchrist, Thomas and Robert S. Austin are not due to American research. I would respectfully invite you to name any American who could claim rank with them."

Amalgamated Scale Complete.

Milwaukee, June 7.—The Amalgamated scale is complete, but the conference between manufacturers and the Amalgamated association over the scale will not be held in Milwaukee. This was decided yesterday after a short conference on the subject between Secretary James H. Nutt, of the bureau of labor of the Republic Iron and Steel company, and President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated association.

Which May Account for the Chief.

LaCrosse, Wis., June 7.—Chief Whiteboy, of the Winnebago Indians, has mysteriously disappeared, and it is feared that he has met with foul play. Some time ago Whiteboy's daughter was abducted by a young Indian named John Waukon. Since that time there has been a fend between Whiteboy and John Waukon and his brother.

Dunton Caused the Loss of Life.

Atlanta, Ga., June 7.—G. B. Dunton, a yard conductor in the employ of the Southern railway, has been bound over without bail to the superior court on the charge of murder, charged with being on the switch engine which last Tuesday ran into the Macon passenger train on the Southern, killing three people.

Plays Havoc in Burlington.

Burlington, Ia., June 7.—The worst wind, rain and hail storm of the season swept over this region Wednesday afternoon, doing much damage to Burlington; several roofs were blown off, large trees were leveled, and a basket factory partly demolished. No fatalities are reported.

Some Summer in South Dakota.

Jamestown, N. D., June 7.—A June snow storm is an unusual thing, but one occurred yesterday throughout the central and northern portions of North Dakota. At Jamestown snow fell for two hours. This beats the record.

Doctors Saved Her Life.

Frankfort, Ind., June 7.—Mrs. George Matthews attempted suicide Tuesday after quarreling with her husband, swallowing morphine. Doctors saved her.

No Negro Need Apply.

Bowling Green, Ky., June 7.—The Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs has voted to exclude colored women's clubs from membership.

SCHLEY ON THE EXCHANGE

Brokers Cheer Him and Ask "What's the Matter With Sampson?"

New York, June 7.—Rear Admiral W. S. Schley yesterday went to the Maritime Exchange to visit Lieutenant Commander James A. Sears, who was his flag lieutenant at the battle of Santiago. The rear admiral was recognized and asked to meet the members. He consented, and as soon as he appeared the brokers surrounded him, cheered themselves hoarse and asked for a speech. This Admiral Schley declined to do, but said he would be pleased to shake hands with everybody. This caused more cheering, and when it subsided some one shouted: "What's the matter with Sampson?"

The admiral replied, "Nothing; he is a gallant officer and a good man." This was greeted with more cheers, and the uproar became so great that some one jokingly telephoned to the police station that a riot was in progress in the Maritime Exchange. The police escorted the admiral, who was laughing, to safety, but only after he had shaken hands all around.

BALDWIN UP IN A BALLOON.

He Makes the Trip Because He Was Too Late to Go With Andree.

Quincy, Ills., June 7.—Evelyn Briggs Baldwin, arctic explorer, made a test ascension yesterday in a large gas balloon which he will take on his polar expedition. He was accompanied by his cousin, Sam Baldwin, of this city. It was the explorer's first trip in a balloon. He was to have gone with Andree, but at the last moment obstacles prevented his joining the ill-fated explorer.

Now he is going to trace Andree in the polar zone, if possible, and learn the fate of that adventurer. Baldwin's balloon journeyed southeast for twenty miles yesterday, and the ascent and descent were successful.

On the Base Ball Diamonds.

Chicago, June 7.—League scores at base ball yesterday were as follows: at Pittsburg—Brooklyn 4, Pittsburg 1; at St. Louis—Boston 3, St. Louis 4; at Chicago—Philadelphia 14, Chicago 4; at Cincinnati—Wet grounds.

American League: At Cleveland—Baltimore 2, Cleveland 4.

Western Association: At Indianapolis—Fort Wayne 10, Indianapolis 4; at Columbus—Toledo 0, Columbus 3; at Dayton and Louisville—Weather.

Close of the Iowa Encampment.

Dubuque, Ia., June 7.—The Grand Army encampment closed last night with the installation of officers. Eighteen delegates and eighteen alternates to the national encampment were chosen. These were appointed council of administration: D. W. McElroy, Keokuk; William Dean, Tipton; G. L. Godfrey, Des Moines; G. H. Welsh, Econe; W. H. Barker, Sioux City.

Thomas Starts a New Church.

Chicago, June 7.—Articles of incorporation for the People's Church of America were granted yesterday at Springfield, this action being taken to extend the scope of the People's church of Chicago into a national organization. The Chicago church, under the direction of Rev. H. W. Thomas, will be the parent body.

Sewer Pipe Combine Projected.

Cleveland, June 7.—It is said that a number of manufacturers in Cleveland and Akron have interested proprietors of about fifteen sewer-pipe plants in a plan for organization of a single corporation to take over all the plants and conduct the business as a whole. The proposed capitalization is $7,000,000.

Ball in Honor of the Doctors.

Minneapolis, Minn., June 7.—The medical convention which has been in session at St. Paul, was entertained last evening at a large reception and ball at the armory of the University of Minnesota. Over 3,000 people were present.

Statesman Run Down by a Trolley.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 7.—Representative Otjen and his private secretary, Nathaniel Green, were run down by an electric car of the Milwaukee and Racine line yesterday afternoon while driving in a buggy. Neither was seriously hurt.

Molders Take Up the Fight.

San Francisco, June 7.—One hundred iron molders in the Risdon, City, Vulcan, Mechanics and Enterprise foundries have walked out in accordance with a resolution not to handle any patterns or other work done by non-union men.

Somewhat Important If True.

Berlin, June 7.—The Hamburger Correspondent publishes a dispatch from The Hague asserting that the arbitration court Wednesday held a secret session regarding the war in South Africa.

Marshall Field to Sell Goods at Gotham.

Albany, N. Y., June 7.—Marshall Field & Co., of New York city, was incorporated here yesterday with a capital stock of $25,000, to manufacture and deal in merchandise.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Chicago's police arrested 1,121 women in April, the March total being 664.

Fire in Antwerp warehouses caused a loss of $10,000,000.

Maitre Labori, counsel for Dreyfus, was honored by the English bench and bar at the annual Hardwicke dinner.

Emil Danne was expelled from membership on the Chicago Board of Trade on charges of dishonorable conduct.

Pretending to be deaf and dumb a man gained access to and looted two Chicago flats.

Incendiaries attempted to burn St. John's college, Brooklyn, in which were eighteen priests and forty other persons.

The attorneys engaged in the settlement of the Fair estate ($17,000,000) will receive about $1,500,000.

A storm wrecked a circus tent at Zanesville, O., killing one person and injuring many.

Riotous girl strikers at Passaic, N. J., were subdued by the use of a fire engine.

The woman suffragists have adjourned their annual convention at Minneapolis.

The annual convention of state railway commissioners is in session at San Francisco.

'RED' SENT TO THE PEN

Convicted of Robbery of a Store at Bloomington of $4,000 in Silks.

RULING IN A HABEAS CORPUS CASE

Effect of Refusal to Admit to Bail—Noisy Friends Serenade a Couple—State News Notes.

Quincy, Ills., June 7.—William M. Davis, alias "Bloomington Red," was found guilty yesterday of burglary and sentenced to an indeterminate term in the penitentiary. The case came to an end Wednesday night, and at 10 p. m. the jury, after having been out four hours, returned a sealed verdict. At the opening session of court yesterday morning the finding was read and sentenced pronounced by the court. During his trial Davis made sensational charges against the Chicago police and asserted that Luke Colleran's men were trying to railroad him to the penitentiary because he refused to be blackmailed for $500.

Detectives Come in for a Roast.

Detectives Russell and Stevens, of the Chicago force, who were present, were roundly scored by "Red's" attorney for their testimony. On the stand the defendant was not allowed to say all he wished in regard to the police, the court holding that it did not tend to prove his guilt or innocence of the charge against him. He absolutely denied he was in Quincy on Dec. 24, the night of the silk burglary, stating he was at the house of Fanny Curtis at 82 Custom House place, Chicago, through the evening. Asked why he did not produce her as a witness he said she had been regularly subpoenaed, but was scared away from Quincy by Sheriff Roth and the Chicago police on pain of arrest if she came here.

His Pal Gave Him Away.

"Red" was convicted of robbing the Kesphol Mohrenstecher store here Christmas eve of $4,000 worth of silks. His partner was George Heiss, who pleaded guilty after arrest and came from Chester prison to testify against him. Davis was leader of a band of silk thieves that plundered stores in Quincy, Hannibal, Beloit, South Bend, Elgin, Goshen, Kenosha and other cities. He was convicted in Decatur in 1892 under the name of Frank Smith and broke jail, but was recaptured and served six years at Joliet.

NEW CONSTRUCTION OF THE LAW.

Bail for a Prisoner Nullifies Proceedings for a Habeas Corpus.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—In denying the petition of William Henry for a writ of habeas corpus, the supreme court Wednesday placed a new construction upon this point of law. It is held that when a lower court declines to admit to bail a prisoner held for a capital case, such action precludes consideration of the case under habeas corpus proceedings by the supreme court; that the entering of a motion to admit to bail in the lower court is equivalent in effect to a habeas corpus proceedings, and the law provides that only one habeas corpus proceeding may be instituted in the same cause.

The Henry case comes from Pike county, where the prisoner and his wife are under indictment for the murder of Charles Jennings in June, 1900. The prisoner sought his discharge or release upon bail on the ground that in his case proof of the crime was not clear nor the presumption great.

Was a Noisy Wedding Serenade.

Sycamore, Ills., Miss Alice Louise Mayo, of De Kalb, step-granddaughter of Isaac L. Ellwood, and Oliver Welton Upson, of Cleveland, son of the shipbuilder, were united in marriage at De Kalb. The young couple started in a trip for Sycamore and were chased from De Kalb by tally-hos full of friends, carrying horns. They were caught just coming from the courthouse with their license, their horses and trap were decorated with white silk streamers, and the two were escorted home in a pandemonium of tooting horns.

Injunction Against Taxation.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—Upon the application of S. Tabor Bayles, of New York, a bondholder of the Keokuk and Hamilton Bridge company, Judge John H. Baker, of Indianapolis, sitting in the United States district court here, issued a temporary injunction restraining Thomas F. Dunn, county treasurer of Hancock county, Ills., from collecting taxes for the years 1899 and 1900 against the Keokuk and Hamilton Bridge company.

Refused to Dismiss the Appeal.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—In the supreme court yesterday the motion on the part of the attorneys for the Chicago School Teachers' Federation to dismiss the appeal of the state board of equalization on the ground that a bond was not filed was denied by the court. Judge Thompson's order granting an appeal to the supreme court specified that it could be taken without bond.

Death of a Civil War Veteran.

Lincoln, Ills., June 7.—Col. Frank Fiske, lawyer, former alderman and justice of the peace of Lincoln, where he was an old resident, died Wednesday night of stomach trouble, aged 72 years. He was a lieutenant in the Fourth Illinois cavalry during the civil war, and was promoted to be captain and commissioned lieutenant colonel at the close of the war.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

Quincy, Ills., June 7.—The board of trustees of the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy organized by the election of General John C. Black, of Chicago, as president, and William Murray, of Virginia, as secretary, Captain William Somerville, of Quincy, was reappointed superintendent.

Illinois Sportsman's Association.

Springfield, Ills., June 7.—Colonel J. R. B. Van Cleave, of Springfield, president of the Illinois State Sportsman's association, has appointed ex-Representative William J. Butler, of Springfield, secretary of the association.

ONE WAY OUT.

A Resident of North Dixon Shows the Way.

Only one way to cure a bad back,
Liniment and plasters may relieve it.
They won't cure it.
Backache means sick kidneys.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills.
North Dixon people prove this.
Read a case of it.

Mrs. E. E. Page of 603 Chamberlain street, North Dixon, says: "It gives me considerable pleasure to recommend a medicine which brings such quick and thorough relief as Doan's Kidney Pills. I went to Leake Bros.' drug store for a box when suffering severely with pain in my back, which clung to me persistently, far too long to be pleasant. The treatment undoubtedly benefited me. I will be only too pleased to say a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills when opportunities present themselves.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Get a sample bottle free from E. M. Bunnell Co. Regular size 75 cents. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

$13.00 to Buffalo and Return $13 00

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FOR THE TELEGRAPH.

To Adelheid.

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Than Adelheid? Ideal summer retreat!
Where year by year, with a loving hand;
The river caresses the shining sand.
And nowhere the trees so softly sigh,
To the summer breeze as it flutters by.
And the robin his song will sing to thee
From the topmost bough of an old oak tree.
And if you'll listen you'll surely hear,
The song of his heart so sweet and clear,
"There's no place like home, sweet home"
he'll sing.
And all of the woods with his music ring.
The song of his heart goes out far and wide
For he sings "My home, sweet home—Adelheid."

RECEIVE THEIR DIPLOMAS.

Six Graduates From the North Dixon Schools---Address by Prof. Terry.

The twenty-second annual commencement exercises of the North Dixon Public Schools took place at the opera house last evening. The attendance was rather limited, but the exercises were much enjoyed by all.

The graduates, six in number, were seated in a semi-circle on the stage, together with Prof. H V. Baldwin, J. W. Watts, superintendent of the school board, Revs. Finis Idleman and Dr. Cryor, and the speaker of the evening.

The initial number of the program was a march, "General Funston," well rendered by Prof. W. H. Smith's orchestra. Rev. S. S. Cryor of the Presbyterian church asked the Divine blessing on those present and on the evening's exercises. This was followed by another selection by the orchestra, "Ivanhoe," which received much applause. The vocal solo by Miss Bingaman of Polo pleased all. The young lady has a cultured soprano voice and gave "I Dreamt Elise Her Troth Had Spoken" very sweetly. She was accompanied by Miss Emma O'Brien.

Superintendent H. V. Baldwin then arose and introduced the speaker of the evening, Prof. Benjamin Terry of Chicago University. The subject of Mr. Terry's address was "An Education and What to Do With It." He is a comparatively young man in the prime of life, possesses a clear, logical way of dealing with his theme and held the close attention of his audience. He stated that the theme was not new but was one which would never grow old and was always in order. The mere training of eye, hand or foot is not education. There is a difference between being highly trained and being educated, a difference between education and training. It is not so much the method as the object sought. Education consists not so much in how to do something as in being something. Education seeks to mature. The youth is put in possession of powers by education which he would never attain without it. Facts are the bone, fibre and sinew of the intellectual man. Education enables the thinker to take a fact here and a fact there, put the two together and evolve a third—his own.

The speaker contrasted the univercities and colleges with the training schools. It has been said that the schools and colleges teach everything that is not useful, while the training schools and technical institutions teach everything that is useful. The various studies of these educational institutions were thoroughly discussed. He described some of the schools as third-rate boarding houses with a few lavender-colored fads. There is a tendency now obtaining to introduce purely technical things and crowd out really intellectual matters in the lower years of the high schools, so that the high school pupil who takes no higher course finds that he has a jumble of stuff which he has no use for and speedily forgets. Teachers are not sufficiently qualified to teach the studies and pupils are not sufficiently matured in their class work.

The foundation of all education should be religion. In Germany the fundamental principles of all religion are taught in the schools. In America it is not so, because the teachers are not allowed to teach religious matters. However, there is no more religious class of people, aside from clergymen, in the United States. Mr. Terry made a plea for more honest men and women in our country. Men of the present are religious in theory but atheistical in practice; they leave God in church. He wished to see the children better started in the great principles of right, honor and integrity.

A homiletic review of the needs of high school curriculums was made by Mr. Terry, with a glance at the attainments of college-bred men and women. He advised the holding of a strong purpose—he liked to see one, who, whether right or wrong, was in dead earnest. It is never too late to get an education—one is never too old. Those in search of an education will certainly attain it if they step into the sphere where faith and duty hold sway. The present movement is always best.

After the applause at the conclusion of the address of Mr. Terry had subsided, Mrs. S. T. Long seated herself at the piano and gave "Le Reveil du lion," a caprice heroine which she skillfully executed in her usually finished manner.

Attorney J. W. Watts, president of the North Dixon Board of Education, then advanced and in an earnest, impressive tone reviewed the school life of the graduates. He spoke feelingly of his pleasant relations with them and hoped each would make themselves a benefit to the world. He then in behalf of the school board presented diplomas to Misses Inez Lapham, Nina B. Burright, Agnes H. Woodford, Egie L. Knox and Elsie S. Emmitt, and Osborn H. Williams, the present year graduates of the North Dixon High School.

The benedition by Rev. Finis Idleman of the Christian church closed the exercises of the evening.

WON BY THE CITY.

Robert D. Martin Defeated in a Special Assessmen Case.

Late yesterday afternoon Judge Cronkrite rendered a decision in the contest of Robert D. Martin to the special sidewalk tax levied against his property adjoing the city hall on Stephenson street, and entered judgment in favor of the city. The city passed a sidewalk ordinance ordering the laying of a walk in front of Mr. Martin's property, and, as he refused to have the work done himself, let the contract and had the paving laid. He then refused to pay the special tax levy, and the city clerk certified it as delinquent to the county treasurer, who advertised the property for sale.

Mr. Martin filed objections, and the hearing yesterday resulted. In his hearing he attacked the ordiance, the matter of the advertisemnt, and the whole proceedure, but the court held against him in all particulars.

Mr. Martin appeared in his own behalf, and the city was represented by Bruce Mitchell. The case was the first one that has ever been tried under the local ordinances.—Freeport Democrat.

Probate Court.

Mary A. Van Epps, deceased. Louise P. Steel, daughter, appointed administratrix under bonds of $200.

Mary H. Dwyer, deceased. Thomas Dwyer, brother, appointed administrator under approved bonds of $600.

Eona Beach Henry, deceased. Inventory approved.

Edward Froelich, deceared. Administrator's final report approved. Administrator ordered to pay balance in his hands to heirs and after filing receipts estate to be declared fully settled.

Christopher Scholl, deceased. On petition of heirs Joshua Seidel is appointed administrator under approved bonds of $1600. Appraisement issued.

Fay Alice Richardson, minor. Guardian's final report approved. Estate declared fully settled and guardian discharged.

Adam Schinzer, deceased. Claims allowed as follows: Wm. Schinzer $.95, C. W. Trostle $32.61, Wm. Schinzer $11.50.

John Crombie, deceased. Certificate of publication and affidant of posting notices approved.

Eric, minor, guardian. Guardian's final report approved. Estate declared fully settled and guardian discharged.

Frank King, deceased. Executor's final report approved. Estate declared fully settled and executor discharged.

Will Speak at Lutheran Church.

Rev. J. N. Harpster, D. D., of Guntur, India, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Dornblaser and will preach at St Paul's Lutheran church Sunday morning. He is an old veteran soldier and missionary and was severely wounded in the Battle of Gettysburg. He entered the service in 1861 and before the close of the war he rose to the rank of Captain.

Rev. Harpster was the pastor of a strong church in Canton, Ohio, of which Judge Day, former Secretary of State, is a member, but he resigned this field to return to India as a missionary. His service in India altogether covers about fifteen years. He is still vigorous and enthusiastic, and after a year's vacation in this country he and his wife will again return to India. He comes from the worst famine-stricken district, and his addresses on Sunday will be full of interest to our people.

The World's Work.

3217 paid subscriptions were received for The World's Work during the week ending June 1st. Cash receipts for May were $2555.46 more than December, usually regarded as the best month for magazines. All this is because The World's Work has the breath of life in it.

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Fancy Handles,

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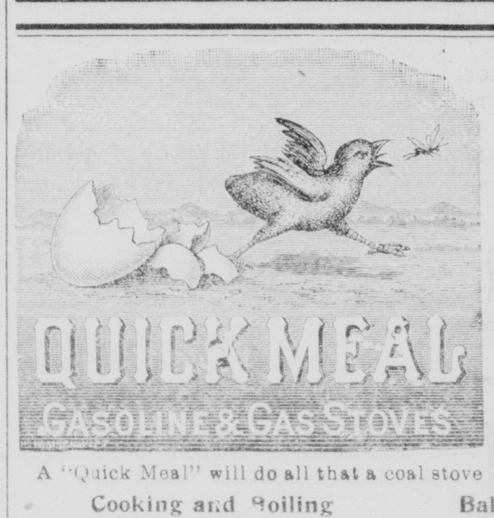

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DR. VANHORNE'S OFFER.

Presiding Elder of Freeport District Can Preach In the South.

Dr. G. R. Vanhorne, presiding elder of the Freeport District of the Rock River conference has been offered a church in the south. Bishop McCabe has written to him telling him he wanted him to take the pastorage of St. Paul's church in Fort Worth, Texas, at a salary of $1,200 a year with a commodious parsonage, says the Rockford-Register.

"Doctor, are you going to take that church in Texas?" he was asked yesterday.

"Bishop McCabe has urged me to take St. Paul's church in Fort Worth inasmuch as Mrs. Vanhorne's health is such as to compel us to go south, but I couldn't think of it for a moment under the circumstances," he replied

"To what part of the south are you going?"

"We shall go first to the mountains of East Tennessee and we will stay there uutil Christmas. Then we will go to Thomastown, Ga., and later we will visit Florida. Then as the weather shifts we will shift too until we work back to the north."

"Sorter like the robins?"

"Yes, that's the idea. We dislike very much to make such a change but it is the only thing we can do. The itinerary I have given you may have to be changed some but that is our plan at present."

Good Ball Game Tomorrow.

One of the best ball games of the season will take place tomorrow afternoon at Pleasure Park between Beloit and Dixon College. The game will be called at 3 o'clock. Jones, the phenomenal left fielder of the team, will pitch, while Milo Stratton of Dixon will catch. The latter takes Condit's place, he having resigned.

SYCAMORE-DIXON.

At Sycamore yesterday a hot game was played between Dixon College and the Sycamore team, the latter being composed of almost all Chicago players. They were loaded to the guards for Dixon, but only won out by 1 run—4 to 3. Stratton the new catcher, was put on for the first time and proved himself cool and heady. He is a safe hitter and a speedy runner, while his work behind the mask is excellent.

Jones did some good work yesterday; in fact there was not a poor player on the team and the few errors did not cost much. It was simply a case of misfortune that the game was lost to Sycamore, for Dixon made fourteen hits against five by the other team, but they were not well bunched. Ferris made the only two bagger. Bubster of Rockford pitched for Sycamore.

Word from Milton Bryan.

We publish the following extract from a letter dated June 4th and addressed to L. W. Mitchell by A. J. Myers who is caring for Milton Bryan at Mt. Clemens, Mich:

"Your kind letter of the 2nd instant was received today and greatly appreciated by both Milton and myself.

Please give our most sincere thanks to both "Hi" Myers and George Morris for their kind assistance in restoring Milt to health again.

Our thanks are also due for THE TELEGRAPH which we read with great interest each day and it helps to bring our hearts into closer contact with our dear friends at home.

"The attendants at the bath house have opperated on Milt's right leg, setting the cords free from the underside of the knee, this enabled him to walk, with the assistance of his two attendants who took hold of his arms, from the dressing room to his tub a distance of about 30 feet.

"They expect to operate on his other limb in two or three days, and we then hope for considerably better results. He has appeared much better for the past two or three days."

Sudden Death.

Wm. H. Thompson, a well known Sterling resident, died suddenly of heart failure at his home on Wednesday afternoon. He had been out of doors and was on his way through the kitchen to the dining room, when he fell to the floor dead. He was born in Pine Creek township, north of Dixon in 1858, but had lived in Sterling about 20 years. He was unmarried but leaves parents, two brothers and one sister, Mrs. Weisenbrenner of Mendota.

Buys "Miss Linline."

At the sale at Manges' feed shed yesterday Bob Howell bought of Chas. Plein the thoroughbred light bay mare "Miss Linline." She is a four-year-old who can show a clean pair of heels to most any horseflesh in this vicinity.

Grade Crossing Accident.

Two women were struck by a Chicago & Northwestern train while driving over a grade crossing at Beloit Wednesday and both killed. A little boy with them was knocked unconscious but lives.

MODERN WOODMEN PICNIC.

Will Draw a Big Crowd to Freeport June 20th.

Freeport expects an immense crowd June 20th on the occasion of the Modern Woodmen picnic and the managers are urging all the societies of the city to help entertain.

Vouchsafed a fair day, the conservative estimates of the number of strangers that will be in attendance is placed at 35,000, and it will take a lot of sandwiches and other things to satisfy their hunger. The committee would like to have the societies arrange to serve full meals, and all who will do so may be assured of generous patronage, while the opportunity to add to their funds by doing so is too good to be overlooked.

The committee has decided to give two prizes for drills by Royal Neighbor teams, $25 for the first and $15 for the second, and several camps have announced that they will send teams to the competition. All the competitive drills will be held on VanBuren street, alongside the court house.

Reports from the various camps indicate that there will be between thirty and forty bands at the picnic. The secretary has already been asked to reserve headquarters for ten bands, and the camps are just beginning to engage their music.

Bids For China Town Hall.

The Franklin Reporter advertises for bids for a new hall for town and village purposes. The new building will be located on the lot where the old Village Hall formerly stood. It is to be a brick veneered building, one story high, covered with a tin roof. The interior will be divided into two apartments 15x50 feet in size, one of which will be fitted up for an engine and hose room, and the other for an assembly room for the use of the town of China and the village. Light willl be admitted to the assembly room through one window in the front, five in the west side and two in the rear. The engine room will be lighted by two windows in the rear and a sash door in the front. Nothing will be attempted in the way of ornament, but the building will be substantial and ample for all needs for many years to come.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN.

Annual Meeting and Officers Elected Thursday.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Chicago & North-Western railroad was held yesterday. M. L. Sykes, who has been vice-president of the company since 1870, tendered his resignation, and Eugene E. Osborn, general attorney of the company since 1894, was elected his successor.

The stockholders re-elected the following directors: Marvin Hughitt, N. K. Fairbank, James Stillman, Oliver Ames and Zenas Crane. The directors re elected all the officers of the company, excepting the vice-president.

Excursion Parties.

The favorite, staunch little steamer, Dixon Belle, owned by Richards & Graybill, is at the service of the pleasure seeking public and prepared to take parties up the river at any time of the day or evening. A new marine boiler has just been placed in the Dixon Belle, approved by the Government Inspector, and no effort will be spared to give all perfect accommodations and satisfaction. When desired we can accommodate seventy-five people by using our barge which has also been commodiously equipped for the convenience of pleasure-seekers. We have privilege of landing parties at Schorr's picnic grounds, Truman farm. Call Belle telephone No. 385 or 375

Alumni Meetings.

The Dixon High School Alumni association will meet this evening. The business meeting will occur at the high school building at 8 o'clock. An hour later a banquet will be served at the Nachusa House.

The Dorth Dixon Alumn Association will convene this evening at the North Dixon High School assembly room. A business meeting will be held, followed by a banquet.

Sewerage Matters.

There will be a meeting at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at City Clerk E. W. Smith's office to allow all to file objections, if any, in regard to the proposed sewerage system on Peoria avenue, Third street, Monroe avenue.

A petition is being circulated for the continuation of the Peoria avenue sewer to Eleventh street and a number of property owners have signed it.

Back From Philippines.

George Mossholder has been entertaining J. F. Davis and Irvin Lowry of Somerset, Penn. The latter young men have just returned from service in the Philippines. They were privates in the 46th U. S. Volunteers and have seen much hard service. The young men left for their homes this morning.

—W. C. Jones is home from DeKalb.

—E. E. Chapman is up from Sterling.

—Thos. Robinson is here from Rock Falls.

—See Mrs. Austin's cake sale advertisement.

—T. J. and Ray Miller are in Compton today.

—S. C. Eells spent today in Oregon and vicinity.

—Arthur Robertson is here from Kansas City.

—Miss Anna Carpenter was in Chicago yesterday.

—James W. Murphy went to Rockford yesterday.

—Mark Sheffield drove down from Grand Detour today.

—Homer Prescott saw the races at Sterling this afternoon.

—Charles H. McKenney is here from Savanna for a few days.

—Miss Irma Grose is home from a visit to Franklin Grove.

—D. S. Lafferty was in Sycamore yesterday to see the ball game.

—Mrs. Bernard Wolf and sister, Miss Anna Grobe, was here from Nelson today.

—Miss Edith Croffoot has gone to Stockton to attend the funeral of an uncle.

—Mrs. S. H. Hennessy and sister, Miss Catherine Reilly, were in Chicago yesterday.

—Conductor John Barge is here with his father, Att. Wm. Barge, today from Chicago.

—Mrs. Jennie Packard and son Ralph came home from FranklinGrove yesterday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Finkler and child of La Salle are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Finkler of this city.

—Constable E. L. Edmunds and Justice Joseph Shaffer drove to Sterling this afternoon to see the races.

—The City National Clothing House sends out a large poster price list of bargains with this evening's paper.

—George C. Morris and George W. May went to Sublette late this afternoon, and will move a house tomorrow.

—The S. W. S. Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Edna Carpenter instead of Miss Dimick.

—A. J. McLain and family left this morning for Sandwich to make their home. Mr. McLain will continue in the saloon business.

—Charles Kearney will go to Notre Dame, Ind., next Monday to attend the graduating exercises of the class of which his brother James is a member.

—Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Mary Tuttle at the home of her parents at Leaf River, Ogle county. The groom is Rev. Henry Frost of Dixon district M. E. conference, now pastor of the Lee and West Shabbona charge. They will make their home at Lee.

—Mobile Herald: There never was an issue so dead as that of free silver is. At one time it swayed the councils, and seemed about to rule the destinies of the democratic party. And now there are none so poor as to do it reverance. It has died because it had no elements of life in it.

—Among the horse buyers who attended the sale at Manges' Feed Shed yesterday were: Fred and Henry Stahler of Polo; Al Stewart, Franklin Grove; Harte Bros., Ashton; Henry Richey, Polo; John Mackey, Oregon; Wm. Brown and James Sweet, Sandfordville; Eli Hull, Franklin Grove; David Wineberg, Chicago. The sale was a good one.

—A hero is not a hero to his valet, and a wise man's wisdom does not impress a clown. Darwin's gardener answered an inquiry about the scientist's health, saying: "Oh, he's not at all well. If he could only find something to do, I think he would be better. He will often come out here and stand staring for half an hour at a heap of earth.

—Rock Falls News: Our old army comrade, Ernest Wernick of Dixon, came down to Sterling and Rock Falls on Memorial Day and stayed over Friday to call on his army associates. Comrade Wernick owns so much land and stock north of Dixon that he is glad to entertain all old army friends who wish to see him, no matter how long they wish to stay. He says it helps him to get rid of the surplus. We will make up a party here some day and make him weary.

Congressman Hitt in Indiana.

Congressman Hitt has been spending the past fortnight at Lafayette, Indiana, where they accompanied the remains of Mrs. Reynolds, mother of Mrs. Hitt, having met them at the steamer in New York two weeks ago last Saturday. Duties connected with the settlement of the Gov. Reynolds estate have required his attention since. It is not known how long he will remain at Lafayette.

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What loves they tell of the withered past,
Of many a careless vow!

A curling lock from a giddy head
That prisons a glint of gold;
It had a place in my heart until
The love in my heart grew cold.

A slipper—mold of her pretty foot,
A dainty affair of pink;
It tripped so light in the olden days
That lie behind, link by link.

The scarlet strand of a ribbon worn
And faded by passing time;
It glowed so warm at her snow white throat
When life was a joyous rhyme.

A kerchief daintily edged in lace,
A bit of a spotless thing;
What subtle sense of a dying love
Its delicate odors bring!

What treasures dear of the days agone
Are these which I cherish now!
What loves they tell of the withered past,
Of many a careless vow!

—Ohio State Journal.

The Case of Jared Burton.

BY M. QUAD.

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On the 14th day of September, 1867, Jared Burton, a single man of 30, living in a village in Iowa, started by railroad for a town 30 miles distant, and he has not returned to his home and relatives since. He was a man in more than comfortable circumstances, and his mother and sister lived with him. Boy and man, he had lived in the village for 20 years when he set out that day on a business matter. When several days had passed without his return or word from him, inquiries were made. He had arrived at the town all right, transacted his business and then taken a train on another road. It was thought he had gone away in the company of a stranger, but no one could be sure of this. After ten days and still no word he was advertised for, and detectives were employed to hunt him up. The search was not given up for three months, and then it was believed that he was dead.

A year had gone by and the mystery was still unsolved when one day Jared Burton returned—that is, he said he was Jared Burton, and the question of whether he was or not brings out this story. On leaving the train he met Squire Danforth and shook hands

"THIS IS NOT JARED BURTON."

with him and asked after the mother and sister. Farther up the street he met a village merchant and shook hands and laughingly said that he had been east in search of a wife. He walked to his house, entered and called to the family and kissed mother and sister and apologized for having worried them as he had. He had the age, height, look and voice of Jared, and at first the women accepted him as such. The story he told was a queer one. He had gone to look at a lead mine with a view of buying, and during the short time he was left alone he had tumbled down an old shaft. He knew no more after that until he suddenly came to himself one day in a town in Kansas and found himself a tramp. The fall had produced concussion of the brain, and, though treated by doctors, he had lost his memory and his identity and only recovered his wits when a constable banged his head against a door in arresting him. He had told his story, found friends and been assisted to reach his home.

The story passed all right with the women for a day or two, but as it got around the village and was discussed pro and con they began to doubt. Of the five doctors in town four declared the thing impossible. Of the 1,500 inhabitants not more than ten were satisfied of the truth of the story. The matter spread until two or three counties were interested and a dozen newspapers were discussing it, and first and last a good many people had their say about it. The first idea, of course, was to test this Jared Burton's memory about the events of his life. It was a great point in his favor that he had recognized two or three citizens at the moment of his arrival and that later on he had met dozens of others and made no mistake except in one instance. He had seemed thoroughly familiar with the house and with certain business matters, and while he did not write as free a hand as formerly it passed for Jared's chirography. He had with him the key of his desk; he asked after certain clothing he had left; he casually recalled various incidents, and he had settled down as the long lost returned when he learned that his identity was questioned. He promptly demanded the fullest and closest investigation, and the doubters were ready to make it.

In his boyhood days Jared Burton had received a burn on the foot, leaving a bad scar. This man exhibited the scar. Jared Burton had been bitten on the calf of the leg by a dog. Here was the scar of the bite. He had once been near death by drowning. This man told of the incident. He had been in Chicago with his uncle for a week; he had fallen off the roof of a barn; he had been on a jury in a lawsuit; he had been robbed by a man on the highway. All these things were told over without a mistake, together with hundreds of other incidents. It was a public investigation, with everybody free to ask questions, and it lasted four days. There were still some who carped after it was closed, but there was a complete change of popular opinion, and Jared Burton was complimented on all sides. The mother and sister fully accepted him, and he settled down into his place unquestioned. Three months had gone by, and the talk and wonder had all died out when a blind man came along one day. He was known in various villages as "Old Hanson." He sang songs, told fortunes and performed tricks and was well liked. Standing on the public square with a crowd around him, he sang songs and then asked if Jared Burton was among the spectators. Jared stepped forward, and the old man took him by the hand. It was his boast that, having once heard a man's voice and shaken hands with him, he could forever after identify him by the feel of his palm.

"This is not Jared Burton!" he exclaimed as he let the hand fall.

"But it is," chorused a dozen voices.

"But I say it is not. It is not his hand. I never met this hand before."

"You will believe it is Jared Burton when I tell you so, won't you?" asked Jared.

"No. You cannot deceive me on the palm. You are a stranger to me."

There had been an investigation and an acquittal, but yet the blind man's words set people to thinking, especially as Jared himself seemed to be greatly put out. The whole question would have been reopened again but that he started off for Chicago next day on what he claimed was a matter of business. He had a close shave of it. He hadn't been gone two hours when a sheriff from a distant county came to arrest him as one of a gang of land stealers and counterfeiters. He was followed, but not overhauled. His real name was Charles Wright. As to what became of the true Jared Burton no one can say, but he doubtless met his death in some way through falling into the hands of the gang. He had papers with him, but how they got him to talk and give the incidents of his life cannot be understood. It was a curious thing that another man should so closely resemble him and should bear the same scars, but it was a fact not to be got over. The blind man and the sheriff declared the man to be a cheeky impostor, and the latter furnished plenty of proofs, but the question has not been settled yet and perhaps never will be. I passed a day in the village not long ago, and I found the people about evenly divided as to whether the true Jared had not actually returned and been driven off again.

Gutenberg's Achievement.

In The Century Augustine Birrell thus characterizes Gutenberg's epoch making invention:

The invention of movable types was the greatest distributive invention that ever was or probably ever can be made. It circulated knowledge among the children of men and plays much the same part in human life as does the transmission of force in the world of physics. It was marvelous how quickly thought was circulated even in the age of manuscripts. A book like St. Augustine's "City of God" was soon copied thousands of times and traveled all through Europe after a quicker fashion than most printed books can today reasonably hope to do, but St. Augustine occupied a unique position, and hand copying, though a great trade, employing thousands of scribes, could never have fed the new learning or kept alive the reformation. The age of Gutenberg was an age of ideas and demanded books, just as our day is a day of mechanics and demands cheap motion, telegraphy and telephones. Gutenberg's first printing office is marked by a tablet. Go and gaze upon it and think of the New York Herald, the London Times and the Bible for twopence.

The Horse He Bought.

Higgins is troubled with an overweening curiosity about other people's affairs. Occasionally he gets taken down, however.

He met Smithers in a car; he does not know Smithers very well, but he "me boy's" him as if he were a lifelong friend.

"Busy, eh?" he inquired at once.

"Yes," said Smithers deliberately; "been looking after a horse for my wife."

"Have, eh? Well, let me look over him for you."

"Oh, I've bought him."

"Not without trying him? Was he sound?"

"He appeared to be."

"Doesn't shy?"

"No, certainly not."

"Good mouth?"

"Y-e-s, I think so."

"Good manners?"

But here Smithers arrived at his street. When the reached the door, he called back to Higgins:

"I neglected to mention the kind of horse my wife wanted. It was a clotheshorse."

Dreadful Dream.

Bobbs—Old Titewadd is about dead from insomnia. Says he is afraid to go to sleep.

Dobbs—Does he fear burglars?

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Percy—Skitts is a sponge—a perfect sponge.

"Oh, no! When a sponge absorbs anything, by squeezing it you can get it again."—Detroit Free Press.

WERE GOOD FELLOWS

WESTERN FRONTIER BAD MEN SHOWN IN A NEW LIGHT.

A Man Who Claims to Have Known Them Says They Were Not Bullies and Did Not Swagger Around Mining Camps Looking For Fight.

A little group of hotel guests, most of whom had lived in the west at one time or another, were talking about the passing of the professional "bad man." "I knew most of the famous frontier desperadoes of 20 years ago," said one of the party, "and almost without exception they were good fellows when they weren't out for blood. None of them were bullies; in fact, they had the best reasons for not being. When a man made a reputation as a 'killer' in that country, he immediately became a mark for numerous aspirants for the same kind of fame. They watched him like hawks, looking for some decent pretext to pick a quarrel and shoot him unawares, each anxious to be pointed out as 'the man who killed So-and-so.' The greater his celebrity the more glory there would be in giving him his quietus, and this ever present danger was fully appreciated by them all. The noted 'bad man' knew that almost anybody could murder him, with a fair chance of going scot free, but if, on the contrary, he added another homicide to his own record he would have to establish an absolutely flawless case of self defense.

"Such a handicap as that had a mighty cooling effect on the blood and made a man think several times before he did anything that might put his head in a halter. The story book idea that the famous desperadoes of the west used to swagger around the mining camps with chips on their shoulders, shooting holes through people's hats, making 'tenderfeet' dance and spoiling for any kind of a fight is ridiculously wide of the truth. They may have done so in their early days, but after they acquired bloody celebrity they ceased to hunt trouble and were kept busy avoiding it. Of course there were exceptions, and I remember one ruffian with a record who ran amuck through a little Colorado town and shot a few dozen window lights en route, but he was crazy drunk, and the majority of his clan were sober, serious, extremely quiet individuals who were a great deal more apt to swallow an affront than they were to give one. In fact, the baiting of bad men became a favorite diversion among a certain class of ambitious citizens, and it was one of the most curious phases of a life that is now rapidly passing into mere tradition.

"On more than one occasion," the speaker went on, "I have seen some foolhardy tough nerve himself with whisky and start out with the deliberate intention of 'doing up' this or that celebrity. One night in a gambling house at Dodge City a cattleman named Coulson made a desperate effort to draw Luke Short into an altercation and finally slapped his face. Short had killed several men and was a noted character, and Coulson had boasted to his cowboys that he would 'put out his light' the first time he got a chance. When the blow was struck, a dead silence fell upon the place, and the bartenders and faro dealers dropped out of sight as suddenly as so many marionettes all on one string. Short looked the cattleman straight in the eye. 'You're drunk, Jim,' he said quietly, 'and I won't fight a man that don't know what he's doing. Get out and don't come in here again until you come in sober.' Coulson's hand had been hovering about his pistol, but the other's calmness cowed him, and he turned around and walked away without a word.

"In the west a blow was generally considered sufficient justification for a shot, but what Short said about the cattleman's condition was perfectly true, and he knew it would be used against him in a trial. 'I could have killed him easily before he drew,' he remarked afterward, 'but his friends would have all claimed that I took advantage of him. They would have said that Luke Short shot a poor, harmless drunkard.' I could multiply such instances almost by the dozen. In the early eighties 'Doc' Holliday was one of the most noted man killers in the west. One night in Leadville I saw him submit in silence to a frightful cursing from a consumptive bartender who was eager to 'get his scalp' and become a bad man himself. Later on Holliday was absolutely forced to draw to defend himself, but he took pains to shoot the inspiring drink mixer through the arm and not the body. 'I didn't want to hurt the fool,' he said apologetically. Most of the border desperadoes eventually became peace officers and made good ones too. They were glad to drift into such employment. It put them on the side of the dreaded law."

Buried In Woolen.

In 1679 an act was passed requiring the dead to be buried in woolen, the purpose being to lessen "the importation of linen from beyond the seas and the encouragement of the woolen and paper manufactures of this kingdom." A penalty of £5 was inflicted for a violation of this act, and as frequently people preferred to be buried in linen a record of the fine appears. For example, at Gayton, Northamptonshire, we find in the register: "1708. Mrs. Dorothy Bellingham was buryed April 5, in Linnen, and the forfeiture of the Act payd, fifty shillings to ye informer and fifty shillings to the poor of the parishe."

Pope wrote the following lines on the burial of Mrs. Oldfield, the actress, with reference to this custom:

"Odious! In woolen! 'Twould a saint provoke,"
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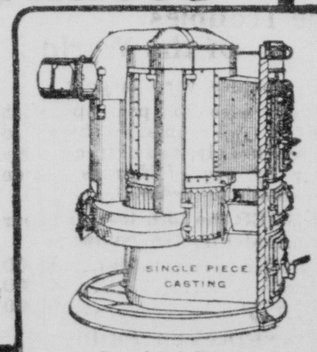

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William Woodard, of Decatur, Ia., writes: "I was troubled with kidney disease, for several years and four one dollar size bottles of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE cured me. I would recommend it to anyone who has kidney trouble." Rowland Bros.

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Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. He mentioned to him that I had been troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle of it from the druggist here and informed me that one dose cured him and he is now in at his work." For sale by Rowland Bros.

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LAWYER'S DAUGHTER A THIEF

Robs the Students of the Smith College of Many Valuable Articles.

Northampton, Mass., June 7.—Miss Mabel Lawrence Burt, of Bridgeton, N. J., daughter of a prominent lawyer of that place, was arraigned in the district court yesterday on the charge of the larceny of a daimond and ruby ring, the property of a student at Smith college, valued at $1,000, and sums of money aggregating $1,500 additional from various students at that institution. She pleaded guilty and was held in $1,500 bonds for the grand jury. In default she was taken to jail.

After the young woman was committed to jail the police stated that it is likely the amount of property alleged to have been stolen by her will aggregate fully $3,000. This includes money, watches, rings and several valuable pieces of jewelry.

ANOTHER DISASTER TO BOERS

Four Hundred Routed by 240 Scouts—Supplies Captured.

Pretoria, June 7.—The latest blow to the Boers was struck west of Warm Baths by 240 scouts under command of Colonel Wilson, who surprised 400 Boers in charge of Beyer's (Boer commander) transport and supplies, and defeated them, kiling thirty-seven and capturing 100, with the whole supply train, leaving Beyer with nothing in the way of supplies, or nearly so.

The British loss was three killed and fifteen wounded. Beyer's command arrived on the scene after the fight but did not attempt a recapture of the train.

Lightning Shakes Up a Jail.

LaCrosse, Wis., June 7.—Lightning late Wednesday night caused a panic at the county jail. The shock was so great that many of the inmates were floored, and their screams aroused residents for a great distance around the building. The fiery fluid struck a prominent tree near the structure, plowing great furrows from its base in every direction. Then darting in at a window it entered a cell and played havoc with the iron and steel work. Nobody was seriously injured.

Rooney Beats the Terrible Turk.

Fargo, N. D., June 7.—In the wrestling match last night between B. J. Rooney (the "giant gripman") of Chicago, and the Terrible Turk No. 2, Rooney was given the decision. The Turk secured the first fall. Rooney won the second. In the third the Turk repeatedly violated the agreement barring the strangle. The Turk challenged Rooney to wrestle, no holds barred, which was accepted and arrangements will be made for another match.

Wind Hits a Stock Car.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., June 7.—During Wednesday morning's storm a stock car was blown out on the main line at the north end of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern yards in this city and the Chicago and St. Louis express struck it. The engine, tender and two cars were derailed. Fireman Ralph Price, of Iowa City, was killed. Not a passenger was hurt. All eastern Iowa is inundated, but the crops are saved.

Another Gift to Armour Institute.

Chicago, June 7.—In furtherance of her plans to make the institution founded by her husband the best school of engineering in the United States Mrs. Philip D. Armour yesterday decided to add $250,00 to the recent donation of $1,000,000 made by her and her son, J. Ogden Armour, to Armour institute.

Independence Very Fast at Reaching.

Boston, June 7.—The Lawson yacht Independence, in her second sail trial yesterday, met with her first accident—jamming of the steering gear. She had an hour and a half of sailing, during which she attained a speed on a reach of a little over thirteen and a half miles an hour.

Man Killed at a Fire.

Milwaukee, June 7.—The Pabst Brewing company suffered a loss by fire last evening to the extent of between $150,000 and $200,000, fully covered by insurance. John Smith, a coppersmith, died from injuries sustained by falling four stories while sliding down a rope.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain and Produce.

Chicago, June 6.

Following were quotations on the Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closed.
Wheat—				
July	$ .75	$ .75	$ .73¼	$ .73⅜
September	.71½	.71⅞	.70¼	.79¼
Corn—				
July	.44¼	.44⅜	.43¼	.43⅜
September	.44½	.44¾	.44	.44⅛
Oats—				
July	.28	.28⅛	.27½	.27⅝
September	.26⅜	.26½	.26	.26⅛
Pork—				
July	14.60	14.67½	14.55	14.62½
September	14.67½	14.80	14.67½	14.75
Lard—				
July	8.30	8.40	8.27½	8.35
September	8.32½	8.42½	8.30	8.37½
Short Ribs—				
July	7.87½	7.92½	7.87½	7.92½
September	7.90	7.95	7.87½	7.92½

Produce: Butter—Extra creamery, 18½@18¾s per lib; extra dairy, 16c; packng stock, 11c. Eggs—Fresh stock, 11¾c per doz. Live Poultry—Chickens, springsand hens, 8½c; ducks, 7½c; turkeys, 5@7½c; geese, $5.00@6.50 per doz. Apples—Common to choice, $1.50@4.25 per bbl. Potatoes—Burbanks, 59@64c; peerless, 58@61c; Hebron, 58@61c; mixed, 50@61c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 6.

Hogs—Best butchers sold early at $6.02½. Rought, including stags, old sows, etc., $5.25@5.60; mixed and prime packers, $5.65@5.90; prime heavy and assorted butchers, $5.90@6.02½; light bacon weights, $5.75@5.85; little pigs, $4.25@5.10.

Cattle.—The general market was slow from opening to close and very unsatisfactory to the sellers. Best steers here sold early at $6.10, though bulk of beeves crossed the scales at $5.40@5.75. Butcher stock, in sympathy with steers, changed hands slowly at prices slightly easier than yesterday.

Sheep and Lambs.—Best wooled Colorado lambs sold at $5.25, with top shorn lots at $4.80. One small bunch of epxort sheep sold early at $4.40. Bulk of sheep however, went below $4.10. Shorn lambs went largely at $4.25@4.65. Some southern spring lambs sold at $5.65.

Milwaukee Grain.

Milwaukee, June 6.

Wheat—Lower; No. 1 northern, 75c; No. 2 northern, 73@73½c; July, 74¼@74¾c. Rye—Steady; No. 1, 53½c. BarleySteady; No. 2, 56c; sample, 40c. Oats—Lower; No. 2 white, 28¾@29c.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

None of the governor's appointments have been seriously criticised except by the Chicago daily trust newspapers, and that don't count. The bombastic Chicago papers are nine-spots so far as influence is concerned. Not one of them was for Richard Yates for nomination; not one of them honestly and sincerely supported him for election; not one of them could deliver a hundred votes for or against any man. They are a set of common scolds, seeking a reputation for virtue by denouncing those who really have that quality. If the governor serves his term without other criticism than this, he will indeed be fortunate.—Ipava Independent.

Governor Yates exhibits no haste in making appointments, and when one is announced it strikes men acquainted with political conditions in the state that the governor has displayed wisdom in his choice. Of one fact we may be assured, Governor Yates had none of the places within his gift promised before election, and it seems to be his intention to distribute appointments so well over the state that no one can fairly complain. If every man who believes himself deserving an appointment from the governor does not receive one, it is probably because there are not enough offices to go around.—Harrisburg Herald.

The Chicago papers are going after Governor Yates on some of his appointments in that city. The governor will be wasting time to try to please the Chicago papers. It cannot be done except to turn the appointments over to them. When they cannot dictate they oppose. The Chicago press will be as bitter against Yates as it was against Tanner before many moons. The best way to treat the Chicago papers is to pay no attention whatever to them or their demands. Out in the state they have little influence and in the city but little attention is given to their opinions.—Mt. Vernon Register.

Governor Yates has thus far shown himself every inch a governor. He has been impervious to the demands of political parasites who have attempted to dictate his appointments and the policy of his administration. As a result some of the aforsaid parasites are fretting and foaming at the mouth at a furious rate. Such tirades only serve to elevate the governor in the minds of right thinking people and inevitably react against the assailant. Verily, some guns are more dangerous at the butt than the muzzle.—White County Republican.

The heralds of discontent who were weeping their eyes out but recently, on account of their apprehension about tyrannical militarism, have not had a word to say in praise of the curtailment of the army. It seems they belong to that peculiar class of people who make a specialty of discontent, and are never quite so unhappy as when they see themselves about to lose their grip on some fruitful source of unhappiness. Their choice song is the old refrain of Democritus: "Naught so sweet as melancholy."—Champaign County Gazette.

The Chicago newspaper trust has attempted to dictate to Governor Yates whom he shall appoint and whom he shall turn down, but their efforts will avail them nothing. The reputation of the Chicago papers are unsavory, and the fact that they are doomed to disappointment in the courageous, upright course of Governor Yates is commendatory to the administration.—Effingham Republican.

The appointments made by Governor Yates thus far show conclusively that the new governor intends to surround himself with the best men the state provides. He cannot in reason suit everybody, but certainly so far as the character, ability, fitness and sterling Republicanism of his appointees are concerned there is no possibility of just criticism.—White Hall Republican.

The Chicago newspapers have begun their campaign of denunciation against Governor Yates because he refuses to let them dictate his appointments. This habit of the Chicago press in denouncing everyone and everything they cannot control is becoming chronic.—Downers Grove Reporter.

When President McKinley declared to a southern audience that the country refused to divide the original territory and would retain all the territory it rightfully acquired the people cheered him. Though they voted for Bryan they believed in McKinley.—Decatur Herald.

What reason has Govenor Yates to specially favor the Chicago papers? Within the past few years nearly everything that they have favored, even in the city of Chicago, has been defeated by the will of the people.—Geneva Republican.

Govenor Yates' veto of the so-called public accounting bill, was, preeminently, an act of wisdom. Had this measure become a law, $200,000 per annum would have been necessary to enforce its complete provisions.—DuQuoin Tribune.

Governor Yates while in Chicago Friday reiterated his oft made and clearly demonstrated statement that he is not in the hands of the politicians, and that his pledges to the people will be kept.—Mt. Carroll Democrat.

All Governor Yates has to do to have abuse heaped upon him by the Chicago newspapers is to turn his attention to rejuvenating the Chicago park boards. It is the Chicago way of doing things.—Springfield News.

The big Chicago papers are scolding Governor Yates as they scolded Tanner. The good governor with them is the governor that will allow them to furnish all his opinions ready made.—Matoon Jurnal.

Governor Yates need not expect to have the approval of the Record-Herald as long as he fails to consult Mr. Herman Kohlsaat about his appointees to office.—Platt County Pilot.

Some of the Chicago mugwump newspapers are exerting themselves in saying mean things of Governor Yates—as untruthful as they are mean.—Geneva Republican.

The people of the state are trusting Governor Yates in the matter of approving legislation. The responsibility is upon reliable shoulders.—Springfield News.

Victory for the Government on Main Point of Insular Cases.

The decisions of the United States supreme court in the so-called insular cases were handed down recently.

Broadly speaking, the cases were of two classes: First, those which arose under the Dingley law; second, those which arose under the Foraker law for the government of Porto Rico, now in force.

In the first class the decision is substantially as follows: Porto Rico, after its cession to the United States could not be regarded as a "foreign country;" consequently the collection of the Dingley duties were illegal, because by the terms of the law the duties were to be levied only on imports from foreign countries.

In the second class the court affirms the validity of the present law, which was approved by the president April 12, 1900, placing Porto Rico under the Dingley law as to imports from foreign countries, and imposing 15 per cent. of the Dingley duties on Porto Rican goods entering the United States and on United States goods entering Porto Rico. This decision rests upon the power of congress, expressly conferred by the constitution, to make all needful rules and regulations for territory belonging to the United States.

The principle entering into the second class of cases is of far greater practical importance than that enunciated in the first class, because the status of new territory from its accession to the enactment of laws for its government is only temporary, whereas the power of congress to enact such laws is far-reaching and essential to the maintenance of proper relations between our government and new possessions which may be ripe for incorporation into the union of states.

The decisions of the court, therefore, are against the contention of the government's representatives on a minor point, and in favor of the policy of the government as exemplified in the Porto Rico law. Thus there is new judicial confirmation of a principle long accepted and acted upon whenever the nation has expanded—a principle the rejection of which would make expansion practically impossible and affirmation of which leaves the way clear for the solution of all problems connected with the control of territory belonging to the United States but not a part thereof.

A Chance for Mr. Bryan.

A man in Lincoln, Nebraska, who has, evidently, made the most of his exceptional opportunities for studying the free silver theory at its source, has turned the knowledge thus acquired to such profitable account that, by means of it, he has made himself a person of practically unlimited means. That is to say, the more he spends the richer he gets.

This modern Fortunatus has an agent in Mexico who ships to him each month four hundred Mexican dollars. These cost him altogether about $250 in good American money. They look so much like American dollars that he has no difficulty in passing them as such on the small shopkeepers of the cities he visits. His plan is to buy with them small articles selling for five cents each, so that he receives 95 cents in change on each purchase. Thus every time he spends five cents he makes a clear profit of 35 cents on the transaction, and by the time he has gotten rid of his four hundred Mexican dollars he is $140 ahead. He has mastered, it will be perceived, the valuable art of making a good living by merely spending money.

Unfortunately there are many citizens of Nebraska who are not as entirely convinced that sixty-cent dollars are preferable to hundred-cent dollars as is a distinguished fellow-citizen of theirs, whose honored name will immediately suggest itself ot every reader. So some of the Lincoln contributors to the ingenious gentleman's income have caused his arrest on the charge of swindling. He indignantly repudiates the charge and declares himself a consistent free silverite who is endeavoring to live up to the principles proclaimed by his peerless leader.

There is a weekly paper published in Lincoln whose famous editor is bound, in common decency, to regard this plea as valid. Also to write a vigorous editorial defending his persecuted disciple and denouncing his arrest as an outrage.

Must Take Their Medicine.

Some Democratic exchanges have referred to the recent apportionment as an "infamous, unjust and unfair gerrymander." To an entirely impartial observer it would appear that a people who had struggled along for eight or nine years under the apportionment steered through a Democratic legislature by "Buck" Hinrichsen could not righteously kick about any map-making feat performed by anyone. The Record is willing to admit that some of the new districts may lack a little in symmetry, but we believe they are strictly all right politically. And we have a suspicion that somewhat more attention was paid to political complexion than to contour when the district maps were made. Illinois Democrats are simply getting a dose of their own medicine, and it makes them squirm a little.—Bushnell Record.

Close to the People.

When Governor Yates made his campaign last year he paid little attention to the advice of politicans, but kept close to the people, and the people elected him. Now that he is governor he is pursuing the same wise course, and is keeping his promises to the people regardless of the dictation of these self-same politicians. Governor Yates has not ignored politics in making his appointments, but instead is playing the very best kind of politics. He makes his appointments from the very best men of all factions in the party. Men who have power and influence at home and will add credit to his already popular administration. So far he has made no mistakes and we believe he will make none. The people rejoice in a governor whom they can trust.—Vandalia Union.

The prediction of Bryan and his followers that the American army in the Philippines would have to be constantly increased is not borne out by the facts, the army being decreased from day to day. But we do not believe that any one expects that the predictions of Bryan will come true.—Spring Valley Press.

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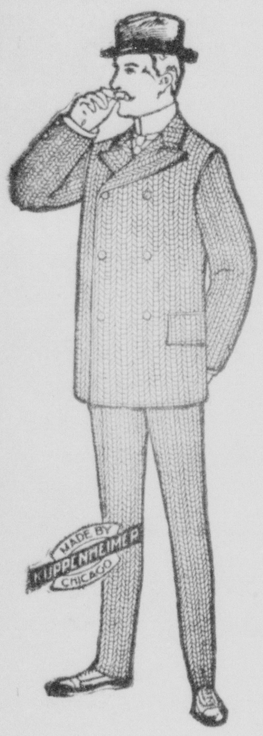

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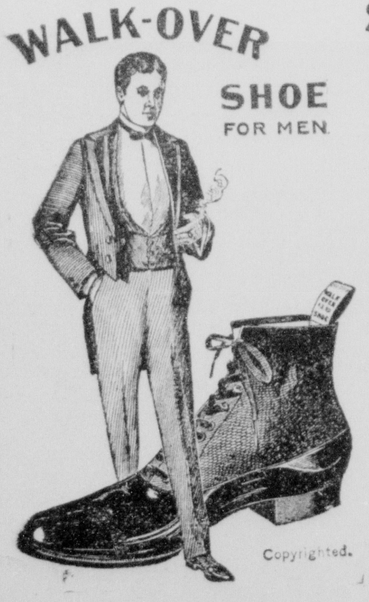

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—City Council meeting tonight.

—W. D. Baum went to Rochelle today.

—Dorothy Chapter O. E. S. will meet tonight.

—Free band concert at the opera house tonight.

—Walter Fritz was too ill to be at the store today.

—G. F. Baddner was a business visitor from Chicago.

—Contractor Mark D. Smith went to Rochelle this morning.

—Miss Clara Rink and France Ingraham drove to Sterling yesterday.

—Oregon is rejoicing over a stretch of new cement walk just completed.

—Mrs. E. H. Webster and daughter Clara spent today with Ashton relatives.

—Hailstones as large as hickory nuts fell in Grand Detour Wednesday morning.

—Miss Helen Dick and Howard Countryman of Rockford were married Wednesday.

—Advertisements changed today are Leake Bros.; A. H. Tillson Drug Co; J. H. Morris & Son.

—Mrs. John Warner of Grand Detour has 75 turkeys, that hatched from 76 eggs. Pretty fortunate.

—F. B. Steel of Cape Vincent, N. Y., is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. E. Reynolds, of East Second street.

—C. C. Burkart sold June 6th a fine Adam Schaf piano to Thomas Gorham on West Fourth Street.

—Phil Bennett and wife were here from Sheridan, Wyoming, for a six weeks' visit with their daughter, Mrs. William Dauntler.

—Miss Avis Dement has at her home for the owner a nickel watch and chain which she found on the grass in the Episcopal church yard.

—The Candlelighters will furnish ice cream and cake tonight for ten cents at Mrs. Wilbur Crawford's from 7 to 9:30. Everyone invited.

—The Emmanuel Sunday school of South Dixon will give a Children's Day exercise next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

—Mrs. Packard and son Ralph, and her niece, Irma Grose returned home yesterday evening from a few days visit with friends in Lee Center.

—Mr. Geo. W, Reynolds and daughter Maude have departed for a visit of several months with relatives at their former home in Gouverneur, New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Earll, who have spent the past week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will W. Gilbert, left this morning for their home at Detroit, Mich.

—Miss Pauline Kirk has come from Carthage, Missouri, to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Kirk of Bluff Park. Miss Kirk is librarian at Carthage.

—The Candlelighters of the Presbyterian church will give an ice cream social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford this evening. You are invited.

—The annual Sunday School Convention ard Keystone League of the Evangelical church will meet at Freeport June 25 to 27. The program is said to be one of special interest.

—The city of Freeport was left in total darkness Wednesday night so far as street lights were concerned, most of the transformers and switchboards being burned out by the electric storm.

—The articles left over from the auction sale of two weeks ago will be disposed of tomorrow afternoon at the tea and coffee store of Sanders & Cox, at private sale by the ladies of the Methodist church.

—George Anderson bought two lots in block 3 of Johnson & Avery's addition for $500 and will build upon them. Johnson & Avery also sold lots 5, 6, and 9 in block 1 to Wm. H. Steel for $1800 and purchased from Mr. Steel his property on East Second street for $1900.

—We are in receipt of a neat program of the Chicago-Kent College of Law commencement exercises which will take place at Steinway Hall, Chicago, Saturday afternoon. Among the list of seventy-four graduates is Elmer E. Hills of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hills.

—The elegant residence of H. O. Soper in Parson's addition is nearing completion and now presents a most beautiful appearance, having been so beautified by Messrs. Fred H. Watterman and his assistants, painters, paper hangers and decorators. The Sherwin Williams paints were used.

—Sterling Standard:—"A man giving his name as Atwood and claiming North Dixon as his home was this afternoon released from the city jail, where he was placed Wednesday morning suffering from a combination of disease and booze. He was given medical treatment, and was about all right when released today."

—Myron Detrick tested his new automobile in Sterling last evening. The machine runs very quietly and is entirely satisfactory.

—Manager L. D. Pitcher was in Palmyra today overseeing the construction of a telephone line to this city for the Lee County Telephone Co.

—Both the game and fish commissions of the state are being reorganized and wardens in both classes are asked to resign. Many will be reappointed.

—Over one hundred people attended the missionary society picnic yesterday afternoon at the Chas. E. Decker home in Palmyra. Tables were spread upon the lawn and all enjoyed the fine dinner.

—H. M. Heth, a prominent farmer of near Milledgeville, was thrown from a cart Tuesday by a fractious horse which was frightened by a cow hooking into a bank at the side of the road, and two ribs and a collar bone were broken. One of the ribs was broken in such a way that it was forced into his lung making his case critical.

—Rock Falls News: P. W. Wilcox, the "Mendota Carpenter", when in Rock Falls told a good story on himself while being entertained at dinner when campaigning in Southern Illinois. As is his custum he ate very lightly before going on the platform to speak. The lady who gave the dinner noticed that he was not eating what was set before him, looked over her spectacles and fixing him with her eye remarked: "Don't my victuals suit you, Mr. Wilcox?" "Oh yes, everything is nice", he replied. "Mebbee my cooking don't please you?" Mr. Wilcox answered "Your cooking could not be bettered, madam, but before going on the platform to speak I eat very lightly, as I cannot speak as well when my stomach is full." "So", says the old lady, "well I have always noticed that an empty wagon rattled the most"

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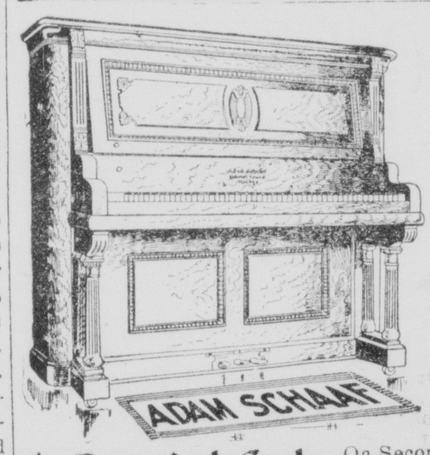

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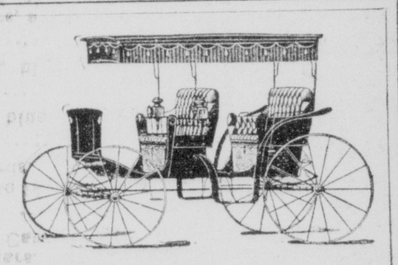

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